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INCENTIVES FOR PARTICIPATION IN N.C.C.
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether students are not given enough incentives to participate in N.C.C. activities;

(b) if so, the steps proposed to be taken to reserve seats and jobs for students with N.C.C. experience;

(c) whether there are any proposals to upgrade the role of N.C.C.; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI GEORGE FERNANDES)

(a) & (b): To encourage the youth of the country to join the NCC, the Central Government and the various State Governmentsoffer a number of incentives to eligible cadets in the form of concessions in employment, academic fields, individual awards, trophies, cash awards, etc.

(c) & (d): There is no proposal to upgrade the role of NCC.